

THE OHIO EXPLOSION.

THE FINE CINCINNATI AND MEMPHIS PACKET.

Meets With Terrible Disaster at Wolf Island.

Cairo, Ill., May 7.—One of the worst catastrophes that has occurred in the region for years took place on the Mississippi river at Wolf Island, twenty-four miles below this city, at 7:45 this morning. A rear end of one of the boats of the steamer Ohio, a Cincinnati and Memphis packet, blew out, filling the deck cabin with steam and boiling water. Several of the deck hands and deck passengers who were eating breakfast at the time were literally cooked alive, and a large number seriously burned. Sixteen are now dead.

The wildest consternation reigned on board the boat, and the screams of the passengers and the groans and appeals of the injured made the scene a terrible one.

The boat could proceed no further and for several hours lay at the bank while the unfortunate victims lay on the deck writhing in agony and calling aloud for aid. The tug Aegina hove in sight. She was hailed and the sufferers, twenty-two in number, were transferred to her deck and then immediately steamed to the city. Word had been telegraphed ahead and every physician in town was on the wharf to meet her. The suffering of the victims was alleviated as much as possible but before they could be removed from the boat some of them were dead. The balance were transferred to the United States marine hospital. Another died soon after reaching there. The surgeon declares that ten of the seventeen now in the hospital will die. Cyrus Meyers, the second mate, was terribly scalded. He was insane from the terrible pain and jumped into the river, where he was seen no more. W. H. Dickey, of Newport, Ky., was seriously injured and may lose the sight of both eyes. Aaron Johnson, a white boy of Memphis, was scalded from head to foot and is not likely to survive. C. J. Patterson, of Orange, N. J., will recover.

None of the cabin passengers were injured. The boat was badly disabled by the accident. She was towed up the river and reached here to-night. Her passengers will be forwarded to their destinations by rail.

PARAGRAPHS DRIFT.

Every night in London over 6,000 persons sleep in the open air.

The Chinese, Japanese, Malays, Siamese New Zealanders and North American Indians are beardless.

It is estimated that 1,700,000 square miles of the earth's surface are still uninhabited or ownerless.

With two exceptions—Bavaria and Prussia—the State of New York covers more ground than all the German principalities.

Rice paper is not made from either rice or straw, but from pithy plant called tung tsun, found in China, Corea and Japan.

Hollywood cemetery, at Richmond, Va., where the remains of Jefferson Davis are to rest, is the burial place of Presidents James Monroe and John Tyler.

London contains one-eighth of Great Britain's population, has a larger daily delivery of letters than all Scotland, a birth every four minutes and death every six.

Prof. Dolbear says a powerful search light could project a beam to Mars in four minutes, which could be seen and responded to, if they have the apparatus that we have.

In some parts of Russia the snow actually is preserved in great straw, sand and manure-covered heaps as a means of irrigating the land during the summer heat.

In an effort to cope with the rabbit pest in New South Wales 632 miles of rabbit-proof fencing have been erected at a cost of \$255,000, and 404 miles of similar fencing are building.

What is generally believed to be the oldest pear tree in New England is on a farm at Danvers, Mass. The tree was planted in 1639. Over a bushel of fruit was harvested from the tree last year.

It is said that when Benjamin Franklin proposed to start a newspaper his mother tried to dissuade him from it, because, she said there were already two papers in America and there was no room for another.

The tomb of Noah is supposed to be in the small town of Nakhichevan, on the plain of Ararat. The burial place is at the side of the broken walls

of an abandoned fortress in the midst of a vast plain, which is literally covered with the remains of bygone glories. There is a gun in the British navy, a 22 ton Armstrong, which hurls a solid shot a distance of twelve miles, the highest point in the arc described by the shot being 17,000 feet above the earth's surface. The discharge of the gun can not be heard where the ball strikes.

A statement recently published by the authorities of Munich gives some startling information as to the increased consumption in that city of dog flesh. So great an appetite seems to have developed for that food that the authorities have thought it time to interfere for the protection of dog owners.

Probably the largest tombstone in the world is that of the late Henry Scarlett, of Upson county, Ga. Years before Mr. Scarlett's death he selected a monster boulder—a miniature miniature mountain of granite, 100 feet by 250 in dimensions—and when he died this huge tombstone was placed over his grave.

The foundations of Sir Edward Watkin's new Tower of London, which was recently completed, occupy four acres in a pleasure park between Willemsen and Harrow. The new tower, when completed, will be 150 feet higher than the Eiffel Tower. On top of the tower there will be an observatory, and rooms for scientific experiments, which are likely to be of great value.

Christmas Island is one of the most interesting in the world. It is 200 miles from Java and consists largely of coral, which rests on a volcanic foundation. The coral forms almost inaccessible cliffs, covered with luxuriant vegetation. In the day it warms with huge crabs and at night with rats. Man could not live on the island as it does not possess fresh water, the rain sinking into the rock.

Mr. Baden Powell, of the Scots Guards, has devised a method of signaling at night by means of paper fire balloons, which are made to lift a string of "beads" of a quick-burning composition attached to a piece of quick match, so as to spell out words on a system similar to the "dot and dash," or Morse plan. The balloon is inflated by hot air, and the "message" string is attached. The portability of the apparatus is an important feature.

RAPID TRANSIT.

Electrical Methods Will Probably Solve the Question. [Donahue's Magazine.]

The wants of civilized man have increased faster than his ability to supply them, and every increase in speed has increased business in a greater ratio. Fifty or sixty miles an hour has been considered rapid—and the average rate on railroads is only about half that, but we are now on the eve of a great change. Strength of mechanism to endure the strain, cost and safety are the conditioning factors.

It has been shown that with properly constructed roads one may be safer at sixty miles an hour than on a poorly constructed road at twenty miles. The actual increase in cost at the higher rate is but a small figure, and with an electric motor in place of the steam locomotive, there is a great advantage for speed in many ways. A 500 horse-power motor can now be made as readily as a 500 horse-power locomotive, and that the former can run safely two miles a minute there is no manner of doubt.

It is altogether probable that within a year from this time electric trains will be run at this speed between Chicago and St. Louis, and with as great safety as with present express trains. The completion of that road will probably precipitate a rapid change in all railroad work. It should be remembered that the sudden adoption of such a new method, which renders useless the present appliances, would be ruinous to most roads in the country; nevertheless, the time may not be so distant when all locomotives will have gone to the dump, save here and there one in a museum standing like an extinct mastodon. For transporting mail and express packages still other electric devices, like William's portable electric system working at still higher speeds, will automatically travel from city to city.

Farmers Victims.

Hopkinsville, Ky., May.—Sells & Renfrow's circus exhibited here yesterday and the proprietors and several attaches were arrested on warrants charging them with suffering gaming under their tents. Not less than forty credulous countrymen had been victimized by sharpers at the shell game. One old citizen named Page was caught for \$365. The showmen put \$250 for their appearance, and then left for Madisonville.

PLENTY OF GOLD.

Secretary Carlisle is Satisfied With the Financial Outlook.

Washington, May 3.—The Secretary of the Treasury is feeling pretty well over the financial situation and his first round with Wall street. He has not only drew first blood, but won a complete knockout over the speculators. He has no fears now but that the large bank he controls will be able to stem the financial tide without any dictation from the eastern bankers. Chicago and the West and South send the Secretary word that he can count on them for every dollar in gold that they have or can raise if he wants it. This is beginning to look as though this country so far as wealth is concerned is not entirely located on Manhattan Island. Some people will be surprised to find this out. For a long time the Treasury of the Government has simply been an accommodation bank for the use of Wall street. Now the thing is changed, and under Banker Carlisle the Treasury at Washington owned by the Government will be run in the interests of the people. This is Democracy, pure and simple.

MONTHLY CROP REPORT.

Of Commissioner of Agriculture, Labor and Statistics.

FRANKFORT, Ky., May 1, 1893. The condition of the weather the last days of April made the farmers anticipate an early spring. They took advantage of it, and were well advanced until the commencement of the cold, wet weather, which has retarded all farm work and vegetation of all kinds. Timothy, clover and all grasses were looking unusually well. The correspondents nearly all report a good prospect for wheat. A large part of their reports were returned to me by the 25th of April. Since that time we have been visited by very severe frosts, and in many places the ground was considerably frozen, and some of the correspondents from the southern part of the State are very apprehensive that the early-sown will be injured. The government report for wheat is not very flattering. The per cent. obtained from my correspondents is placed at 91.

RYE. Not many correspondents report the raising of rye. From the reports I have I place the per cent. at 92.

COIN. Farmers very generally are delayed with their corn. A great many planted a part of their crop the first part of April, and were stopped by the wet weather, and have been unable to plant since, and from a resume of all reports, the crop is not half planted. The early planted corn was all cut down by the frost, and some farmers are thinking of plowing up and re-planting. My advice would be to wait for a few warm, sunny days. The average acreage is placed at 98 per cent.

OATS. The season for sowing oats was good and it was put in in good time. The average acreage is 95 per cent.

TOBACCO. Nothing very definite can be stated as to the tobacco crop as yet. The season makes the acreage somewhat prospective; but from the reports, the outlook is for a large crop. Plants are very abundant, and from present indications will be ready as soon as farmers are ready to set them; the estimated average is 100 per cent.

SHEEP AND LAMBS. The comparative condition of sheep in the State is good; very little disease; the per cent. is 93. The comparative number of lambs is not so large as was anticipated, nor the price so good. It was believed the World's Fair would create a large demand for lambs and the price would rule high. The average price is placed at 4 1/2 cents.

CATTLE.

A decrease of 10 per cent in the number of cattle in the State is beginning to have its effect in stiffening prices, and from present prospects the outlook is good; the comparative per cent. is placed at 90.

HORSES AND MULES.

The condition of this class of stock is reported very good. Very little disease reported; condition 97 per cent.

HOGS.

The outlook for the hog product is certainly very flattering. The prices are very high now, and reports from all parts of the State go to show that there is a great scarcity of hogs. I told in my reports last fall to show to the farmers that there was a shortage in hogs, not only in our State but in the United States. Mr. Henry A. Robinson, the United States statistician, says in his April report, "many reports from all the great hog-raising States report that the high prices of pork, seconded in many cases by scarcity, and comparatively high prices of grain for feeding, resulted in causing

farmers to sell off their hogs very closely. Bred sows being in many cases fattened for market. The result is a present scarcity of porcine stock in many localities, a very active and general demand for sows to raise for breeding purposes." In reading Mr. Robinson's report, I find that he bases his statement of the shortage of the crop from reports from Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Missouri, Kansas and Nebraska, and also Minnesota and Iowa. The number, as compared to former years, is 73 per cent.

MOON SOWS. The average number, as compared to former years, is 71 per cent.

FRUIT. The report as to the fruit crop is very varied. I will quote two reports from the same county. First, the frost on the night of the 23rd killed peaches, pears, plums, and damaged the forward wheat, but to wheat, but to what extent can not be determined. Another report, dated April the 24th: Our fruit crop safe at this writing.

NICHOLAS McDOWELL, Commissioner.

BETTER THAN CASH.

Uncle Sam's Bonds Preferred to His Ready Money—A Cherokee Proposition.

Washington, May 5.—Secretary Carlisle yesterday accorded an audience to C. J. Harris, E. E. Star, J. T. Cunningham and D. W. Sipe, representing the Cherokee Indians. Under a treaty concluded between the United States and these Indians the Cherokees surrendered a large tract of land to the United States commonly known as the "Cherokee outlet," for which they received in cash \$235,736, and the United States contracts to pay them in the future, beginning March 4, 1895, \$3,300,000 in five equal installments, the deferred payments to draw interest at the rate of 4 per cent per annum. The Cherokee Indians do not want the last four payments in cash when it is due, but have submitted a proposition to Secretary Carlisle to issue bonds for \$5,640,000 bearing interest at the rate of 4 per cent, annual, the bonds and interest to be guaranteed by the United States Government and to run for a term of years, and for the first payment of \$1,660,000 to be paid in cash when due, interest in the meantime running at the rate of 4 per cent, as provided by the law. Some minor details looking to the issue of bonds were also submitted. Secretary Carlisle will give the matter prompt attention, and is disposed, if he can, to comply with their request as to a guaranteed bond.

COMPARATIVELY SLOW.

Headman Maxwell Falling Far Behind His Predecessor's Record.

Washington, D. C., May 4.—During the first two months of the present administration 3,894 postmasters were appointed. During the first two months of Harrison's Administration, Clarkson put in 5,104. The number of appointments made during the last two months to fill vacancies caused by resignations and deaths was 2,685, as against 1,608 made during the last two months is shown to have been only 1,203, while the number of removals made during the first two months of the Harrison Administration reached 3,496. The excess of appointments four years ago was there fore 2,287, while the number of appointments made on account of resignations and deaths was 1,077 more than four years ago.

DEVASTATING HOANG-HO.

Great Destruction of Property and Life by Another Overflow of the Turbulent Yellow River.

San Francisco, May 3.—Mail advices from China and Japan state that the river Hoang-Ho, China, has again broken its banks and done vast damage to life and property. In Shan-Tung 400 villages and hamlets were submerged, with great loss of life. Reports from Malacca state that the cholera is making terrible ravages, as many as 200 new cases being reported daily. A large number of deaths have occurred.

Shaken by an Earthquake.

Rome, May 3.—The whole Sicily was shaken by an earthquake to-day. Telegraph communication with the island is partly interrupted. It is feared that great damage to property and some loss of life was caused by the earthquake.

Washington, D. C., May 4.—Yesterday Secretary Gresham telegraphed Gov. Penoyer, of Oregon, stating that the President hoped that he would protect the Chinese in Oregon threatened violence. The Governor's reply was "I will attend to business. Let the President attend to his."

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ROBBING THE PEOPLE.

The Discovery Made by World's Fair Officers.

They Make a Round of the Fair Restaurants.

Chicago, May 4.—Without notice and incognito President Higginbotham, chairman, and Director Schwab, local member of the Council of Administration, made the rounds of the restaurants today and partook of the viands offered to the public. In almost every instance the officials were compelled to pay extortionate prices for the food, and they will at once bring the matter before the Council and insist that the proprietors shall maintain the schedule of figures agreed upon when they were granted their rights and privileges.

The officials of the fair will enforce the agreement even if it involves the dismissal of every restaurant keeper on the grounds, for they are determined to protect the public and the guests of the exhibition from outrageous prices for eatables. The concessionaires say that the over charges were entirely due to acts of dishonest employees during the opening days at a time when such action was possible and that they were then unprepared to prevent them.

JOHN E. RISLEY,



MINISTER TO DENMARK.

John E. Risley, our new Minister to Denmark, is a brother-in-law of Senator Vorhees, from Indiana. His home is in New York City, and he is a lawyer of high standard and ample means, though little qualified with politics. He will no doubt make a good Minister.

A Giant Baby.

The biggest little boy of his age in Kentucky, if not in the county, visited the reporter rooms of the Courier-Journal the other afternoon. He was with his father, but though only two and a half years old he was certainly big enough to take care of himself, for his weight is eighty-five pounds, as much as that of an ordinary twelve-year old boy.

This monstrous child is Eddie Thompson. His father is William Thompson, an industrious workingman, who lives at 1709 Irvin street, on the Point. He is three feet seven and one half inches tall, measures twenty-eight inches around the chest, thirty-one inches at the waist, thirty-four at the pit of the abdomen, and his shoes No. 9 1/2. His foot is so broad and fat that the shoes have to be made to order. His hat is 6 1/2, which is as large as that worn by the average man.—Courier-Journal.

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The Crittenden Press

ISSUED WEEKLY.

R. C. WALKER, Publisher.

F. M. Clement.

We authoritatively announce Mr. F. M. Clement a candidate for the legislature, subject to the action of the Democratic party. Mr. Clement is a well known throughout the district that he needs no introduction from us. He is a sterling Democrat, an honest man, thoroughly competent, and one of legislative experience. He served in the State Senate with honor to his constituency and credit to himself. There is no better legislative material in the two counties.

Rochester Declines.

E. B. Moore, J. W. Black and others; GENTLEMEN:—While I fully appreciate the kindness of my friends in making the call published in the Press of April 13th, upon me to become a candidate for the office of State Senator, and feel that I would be highly honored to serve them, and my party, in the Legislature of Kentucky, or in any other capacity, yet in justice to myself and family, and owing to my business relations and the shortness of the time in which I would have to make the canvass, I am compelled to decline accepting said call.

Hoping that the above will be accepted by my friends as satisfactory and again expressing my appreciation for the confidence in me by the call.

Most Respectfully,
J. G. ROCHESTER.

Tuesday St. Louis banks gave the United States Treasury \$2,000,000 in gold, taking in exchange Treasury and National bank notes.

The postoffice department is handling its ax slowly, but now and then the head of a Republican drops off. As the work progresses, the workers gain courage.

The Republicans are having a great time at Louisville this week. Nobody will begrudge them a little fun and frolic after the chaffing they got a few months ago.

Gen. Gonzales, ex-President of Mexico, died Monday. He left a fortune of \$7,000,000. It is not such a bad thing to be a President after all, even if office seekers are numerous.

There are no new developments in the great lock-jaw case at Frankfort. The members of the Legislature are still clamped to the public tit, and will not let up until it thunders.

The office seeker is to be shut off from the benign countenance of the President. He has issued an edict to the effect that he will have no more interviews with the man who wants an office.

Recently a removed official approached Secretary Carlisle and wanted to know why he had been relieved of his job. The Secretary made this prompt and efficient reply: "I wanted your place for a Democrat."

The sanctity of the Sabbath stands a mighty poor show when it appears before Chicago, especially when Chicago has the choice of the Sabbath or dime. However, it may be said that Chicago is not much worse than other cities, towns or hamlets.

The flurry about the gold being gobbled up for Europe, and Uncle Sam forced to issue bonds to buy more appears to have blown away. No wonder at such a result, for there stood old Kentucky in charge of the Treasury.

The Chicago contingent of the World's Fair has notified the Washington end of the show that the courts will be appealed to for the purpose of getting the Fair open on Sunday. Chicago is working for all the money in or out of sight.

Mr. Cleveland proposes to go to work now. If the work he has in hand is resigning commissioners, the sooner he gets at it, the sooner the Democrats will be happy, and there will be no special regret about his living the life of a recluse.

The Prohibition Fight.

The Prohibition election which takes place on the 20th inst. is exciting a great deal of comment and discussion on the streets. The city election in April was taken as an index of how the election would go in May. Three men were elected as trustees who are known to favor licensed saloons, and the wets were so jubilant over this they began to claim the coming election. There has been some change since then and the indications now are that it will be a close fight from start to finish. There has been no open discussion on either side, save one speech, but from the drift of the talk the sentiment seems to be pretty evenly divided. The Prohibitionists thus far have made a still canvass, interviewing nearly every voter in town and they claim they have enough votes assured to defeat the license proposition. On the other hand the wets claim that they will carry the election by from 50 to 100 votes.—Princeton Banner.

THE CONVENTION.

The Delegated Votes Each Precinct Will Have in the Senatorial and Representative Conventions.

The call for the convention to nominate candidates for the House and Senate have already been published. According to the call of the Senatorial Committee, the three counties will send delegates to Marion on July 11, to nominate a candidate for the Senate. The official call says that each voting precinct shall be entitled, in convention to one vote for every twenty-five votes or fraction thereof over thirteen votes cast for Grover Cleveland in November, 1892. Under this the convention will be composed of 131 delegated votes, making 66 necessary to a choice. The following table shows the popular and delegate vote of each voting precinct in the district:

CALDWELL COUNTY.	Pop.	Vote.	Del.
Princeton No. 1,	116	5	5
" " 2,	81	3	3
" " 3,	153	6	6
" " 4,	99	4	4
Donaldson No. 1,	57	2	2
" " 2,	65	3	3
Bucknort No. 1,	72	3	3
" " 2,	67	3	3
Harmony No. 1,	44	2	2
" " 2,	69	3	3
Fredonia " 1,	34	1	1
" " 2,	100	4	4
Total,		39	39

CRITTENDEN COUNTY.	Pop.	Vote.	Del.
Marion No. 1,	60	2	2
" " 2,	94	4	4
" " 3,	76	3	3
" " 4,	84	3	3
Dycusburg,	132	5	5
Union,	94	4	4
Sheridan,	63	2	2
Tolu,	112	4	4
Ford's Ferry,	84	3	3
Bell's Mines,	163	6	6
Piney,	156	6	6
Total,		42	42

WEBSTER COUNTY.	Pop.	Vote.	Del.
Dixon,	98	4	4
Tilden,	31	1	1
Yates,	24	1	1
Shiloh,	70	3	3
Schree, South,	125	5	5
" North,	111	4	4
Wannemaker,	86	3	3
Oreton,	64	3	3
Slaughtersville,	141	6	6
Vanderburg,	76	3	3
Providence, East,	109	4	4
" West,	111	4	4
Clay,	131	5	5
Golda,	18	1	1
Blackford,	75	3	3
Total,		50	50

The convention to nominate a candidate for Representative meets in Salem, June 11. The delegates are chosen on the same basis, and that convention will be composed of 78 votes, making 40 necessary for a choice. The vote of Livingston county is as follows:

	Cleveland.	Delegates.
Smithland,	152	6
Driskill,	104	4
Salem,	176	7
Dyer's Hill,	161	6
Carrollville,	209	8
Panhandle,	17	1
Lola,	109	4
Total		36

The Democrats of Crittenden and Livingston counties will meet at their respective voting places at 2 o'clock Saturday June 3, to select and instruct, if they choose, delegates to the Salem convention; and at the same time Crittenden Democrats will select, and instruct, if they choose, delegates to the Senatorial convention to be held at Marion July 11. The Democrats of Caldwell and Webster counties will hold their precinct meetings on Saturday, July 1.

PROBABLE HYDROPHOBIA.

A Young Man With This Malady Passes Through This City Hunting a "Mad Stone."

Two young men from Livingston county were passengers on the steamer Dick Fowler when she left for Cairo at 4 o'clock. They were enroute to Metropolis, where they hoped to procure the services of a "mad stone" owned by an inhabitant of that place to alleviate the agonies of a young friend and relative who was suffering from an acute case of hydrophobia. The latter was in charge of the other man who accompanied him to prevent him from doing himself or others an injury.

Several days since, while at his home in the adjoining county, the suffering man was bitten in the leg by a mad dog. Since then he has developed a violent case of rabies and his father, learning of the presence of a so-called "mad stone" sent him there without delay, and he and his keepers arrived in the city last night. The "mad man" attracted a great deal of attention and some alarm on the boat this morning by his wild actions. He was seated in a chair on the guards of the boat, while his companions exercised watchful supervision over his movements. A considerable number of people were gathered around, at a safe distance however, watching him. The bitter man seemed torpid and listless. He would drop off into a doze, making peculiar noises. Presently he would awaken suddenly, and starting up he would gnash his teeth and growl like a dog, while his features became convulsed and his eyes glared like those of a wild beast. His appearance at such times generally provoked a stampede on the part of the on-lookers. Apparently the sufferer was fast nearing the horrible affliction of hydrophobia. The party were told that there was a madstone in Paducah, but they thought best to go on to Metropolis and did so.

The name of the young man afflicted with rabies is Austria, and the friend with him (there seems to be but one) is Beards. The Fowler left them at Metropolis.—Paducah News.

FLOOD DANGERS.

Memphis, Tenn., May 9.—The whole Mississippi valley from Cairo to New Orleans is threatened with the most disastrous overflow in history. The river continues to rise at an alarming pace and from present indications it will go the highest point ever reached.

Its Path Three Miles Wide.

Fulton, Ky., May 8.—From J. D. Cantley, who arrived here to-day from Saratoga, messenger particulars are learned of a disastrous cyclone that swept over a section of country northeast of here Saturday night between 8 and 9 o'clock. The forest trees in a swath three miles wide have been twisted off and piled upon one another six and eight deep, making the land over which the storm swept almost impassable. Houses and barns are scattered in all directions, and bedding of every description is dangling from the tops of trees.

CALDWELL SPRINGS.

As I have not seen anything from this neighborhood in some time I will send you a few items.

Rev W. R. Gibbs filled his appointment here Sunday.

School is progressing finely under the management of Miss May Jackson.

Miss Georgia Bonz, of Kelsey, was visiting in this neighborhood last week.

Mr J. J. Bennett, wife and daughter of Marion, attended church here Sunday.

The singing at Mr. Wash Moore's Sunday night was well attended.

Playing croquet is the order of the day in this neighborhood.

Miss Lula Greenleaf, of Dycusburg and Miss Annie Hughes of Marion, are visiting the Misses Gibbs.

Miss Maggie Moore left this neighborhood a few days ago to attend the normal and visit friends and relatives at Marion.

Rev J. N. Hall, of Covington, Ky., will preach two sermons at this place May 31st. One in the morning, and one in the afternoon. Everybody come and bring a well filled basket.

Mr. Levi Frazier and W. H. Koon are both in very bad health.

John Asbridge had three large hams and one side of meat stolen from him last week, while he and his family were away from home.

Mr. Golduan Koon went to Marion Monday.

Cumberland river is still rising. A few people of this neighborhood are talking of going to the Southern Baptist Convention at Nashville.

CARRSVILLE.

River still rising; most of the bottom lands are now submerged.

Livingston county is undergoing a reformation from the number of indictments returned by the grand jury. Just think of it, only 23 indictments and the county chock full of people. Just a few years back fifty indictments at each sitting of the jury was considered a low estimate; perhaps though, we had a jury composed of men who would indict only on convicting evidence.

A man whose name we have not learned arrived in town to-day with several boxes second hand clothing, but we do not predict a very large trade.

COPPERAS SPRINGS.

Mrs. S. D. Jacobs had a quilting on the 29th; it was highly enjoyed by all present.

The school is increasing in interest and attendance.

Mrs. M. A. Jacobs was the guest of S. D. Jacobs the 5th Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Ada Andrews is attending school here.

Misses Rosa and Lonella Travis, of Iron Hill, made a short visit here last week, and Misses Bertie and Aggie Travis accompanied them home.

Aunt Nancy Crider is very low; she is not expected to live long.

Ladies Missionary meeting at Piney Fork the 2nd Saturday at 10 o'clock.

Holliness meeting at Wilson Chapel the 1st Sunday night, and at Hillsdale the 2nd Sunday night.

Jack Crider's tobacco barn was demolished by lightning the other day.

Charity.

Capt. W. C. Clark has been appointed postmaster at Paducah. He had the office under Grover four years ago.

HERE AND THERE.

Mr. C. C. Bell, the Mayor of Henderson, died very suddenly last week.

About Sam Jones at Owensboro the Henderson Journal says:

Sam Jones is certainly the greatest drawing attraction of the day. In a meeting for men only at Owensboro Sunday night there were even thousands of men from 18 up—a number about equal to the total number of voters in Henderson county. After he had in his usual style denounced gambling, drinking, profanity and licentiousness he asked everybody who endured every word he had said to stand up, and everybody stood up. At the close of the meeting some twelve or fifteen hundred went up, asked prayer and announced their purpose to lead a better life. The immense crowd of men was an interesting sight, and Jones was probably right when he said that the oldest man in the house had never seen the like before and probably never would again.

The question having been asked, "What did Paducah give Rev. Sam Jones and George Stewart?" the News has taken the trouble to secure the figures. The collections and donations were upwards of \$2,700 and the expenses of the meeting about \$600. After paying these expenses there was something like \$2,170 left in the treasury and this was turned over to Mr. Jones entire. These figures as given are correct in the main and are creditable to the managers of the meeting and the people generally.—Paducah News.

Both of the Mayfield papers of this week, strangely enough, mention Judge J. E. Robbins, of Mayfield, as among the probable candidates to succeed Chief Justice Bennett. There are growing indications that the able and popular Chief Justice is to have a fight on his hands to hold his seat next year.

Hopkiesville has come to the front with a murder, the first for several years. Last Thursday night Will Beamer, engineer of a flying jenny, or revolving swing, on Sixth Street, was shot dead at his engine by a man who shot him twice and disappeared in the darkness. He dropped his hat and pistol, which proved to be the property of Rich Phelps, a colored saloon-keeper, and the next day Phelps was arrested and after some show of surprise finally admitted that he had done the killing, but claimed that the shooting was in self defense.—Hopkiesville-Kentuckian.

James Scott, an old resident of Lyon county, died in his 88th year Sunday, quite suddenly of heart disease. His sister, Bettie, was stricken in the same manner twelve hours later and died in a few minutes. Monday they were buried side by side, and while the funeral was in progress, Mary, another sister, was stricken down at the grave without a moment's warning, and lies at the point of death. They all lived together. The sisters had never been married, and were quite.—Princeton Banner.

The revival begun by Sam Jones at Paducah is still spreading in that city. All the churches are holding services, and the enrollees from the Paducah Standard indicates that the churches are crowded:

"Cut this out and sign it and present it to the usher, who will freely give you a reserved seat. I am one of the un saved, and desire henceforth to lead a Christian life."

Name _____
Residence _____
Church or Pastor preferred _____

The State board of equalization meets at Frankfort to-day, to equalize as far as possible the valuation of the several counties of the State. Mr. Ed Starks, of Fulton, is the member for our congressional district.—Mayfield Mirror.

"There's a fellow up at Green Bay, Minn., who, every time he gets on a spree, insists on paying a year's subscription to his town paper," says the Dycusburg Gazette.

"He has already paid for his paper to Jan. 1, 1927. An effort will be made at the next Tennessee State press association to ascertain what brand of whiskey that fellow is drinking, in order that it may be more generally placed on the market."

Some country editor who has probably been forced to walk, thus consoles himself:

Don't wait for the wagon,
You have no time to spare;
The race begun, it's ten to one
You'll beat the wagon there!

Missionary Convention.

A Missionary Convention will be held at Cave Spring church Thursday May 11.

PROGRAMME.
10:30—Opening Exercises by G. L. Woodruff.

10:30-11:30—Obligations to Mission Work by Rev. M. E. Chappell.

10:30-1:30—Intermission.

1:30-2:30—Methods of training the Youth in Mission Work by W. H. Walker.

2:30-3:30—Information necessary to interest in the cause of Missions by J. F. Price.

We will expect dinner on the ground and a good time generally.

W. H. Walker,
A. C. Wilson,
J. F. Price,

FARM GARDEN

ELECTRICITY AND POULTRY.

The Hen Man Presses the Button, and Electricity Does the Rest.

Below is a description of Mr. O. W. Miller's improved poultry house as detailed by him in The Rural New Yorker. These houses are intended to accommodate 40 hens each. The hens are allowed free range over stony hillside pasture fields. No yards are used in connection with them.



Each house is 12 feet long by 10 wide, 8 feet high in front and 5 feet 4 inches in the rear. The floor and roof are of matched spruce, and the siding is of matched pine. The roof is covered with 2-ply tarred roofing felt, and the sides are lined with single ply tarred paper. The floor is covered in winter with a good coating of dry earth. This is to stop any drafts from coming up through the floor, and also to provide a good dust bath for the hens. The roof should be painted occasionally with coal tar. Once a year is sufficient. An hour's sun shining on the black surface will warm up the inside of the house almost equal to glass, and it will hold the heat much better. The first cut shows the plan of one house facing to the east.

The second cut shows the feeding trough used for the morning feed. If one takes an ordinary feeding trough and lays a wide board over it after he has put in the feed, the hens will find it impossible to get into the feed with their feet or to deposit any droppings in it. If now you raise the board a few inches, their breakfast is ready. Now raise the trough a few inches from the floor, and it takes a lively bird to scratch any litter from the floor into it. The cover is fastened in place with hinges for convenience in feeding. The drinking fountain is constructed on the same principle. It is simply a 4-quart pressed tin basin set under a board that projects an inch or more on all sides.

Above the private hen entrance shown in the first cut is placed the electrical feedbox or hopper. The small door which closes this entrance is hung on pulleys and drops of its own weight when the catch which holds it is released. The electromagnet seems to do this, and also to operate a slide which covers an opening in the bottom of the feedbox, allowing the grain to fall to the floor. In falling it strikes a metal disk, which scatters it and warns birds that supper is ready. It is interesting work to feed a large flock in this way. As one touches the button he seems to touch a nerve in each individual member of the flock. Instantly every head goes up, and away they all go home to supper. The cost of lumber and material for such a house is about \$25.



DEEDS RECORDED.

B. R. Garnett to C. R. Babb, 110 acres for \$880.

R. N. Walker to Rochester and Wilson, 6.5-16 acres for \$631.

James M. Lamb to G. P. Wilson, 1 lot in Weston for \$300.

Wm. Barnett to T. J. Wright, exchange of land.

M. L. Barnes to W. E. Flannery & Co., 207 acres \$4,000.

R. W. Wilson to Nancy Young, 1 town lot for \$60.

J. T. Cochran to J. S. James, one town lot for \$1,175.

W. D. Williams to I. H. Clement, 170 acres for \$1,600.

G. W. Johnson to J. R. Johnson, 4 acres for \$75.

J. W. Guess to T. A. McAmis, 2 lots in Tolu for \$100.

L. L. Bennett to F. M. Oliver, 1 lot in Dycusburg for \$500.

THE LAST CALL.

All parties indebted to the late firm of Munner & Frauks are hereby notified that they must settle without further delay. Call at Crider & Guess' store where you will find a man ready to receipt you for all payments. Prompt attention to this matter will save you cost.

T. A. MUNNER.

Fertilizers.

I have a car load of fertilizer at Crayneville, and P. H. Woods has charge of the sale of it.

Coru, per cwt, \$1.35.
Tobacco, per cwt, \$1.75.

It is the best brand sold in the State.
A. H. Cardin.

Marion Shaving Parlor

M. VICKERS & CO., Proprietors.
Marion, Kentucky.

I have sold part of my barber shop to Tom Ilargrave and Sampa, Bigham, two of the best barbers ever in Marion. Parties wishing a nice, clean, easy shave or a stylish haircut should not fail to call on us, next door to Press office. Hot or cold bath. Satisfaction guaranteed. Give us a trial. Sign: Striped Tree.

M. VICKERS & CO.

FINE SHOE-MAKER.

J. W. Johnson has employed a fine shoe-maker; he makes the very best grade of work and guarantees everything. A specialty of ladies' repair work. Call at Johnson's grocery.

Notice.

All who are indebted to the firm of Rankin Bros., will please call and settle their account at once.

Rankin Bros.
Ford's Ferry, Ky.

Land For Sale, For Taxes.

On Monday June 12, 1893, (it being county court day,) I, or one of my deputy will sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand for taxes due the State and county, the following tracts of land:

MARION.
Clark, Flannagan 1 lot 1891-92
Lemon, James P., 1 lot 1891
Murphy, Mrs. Mary T., 1 lot, 1891-92

DYCUSBURG.
Rutherford, A. J., 1 lot, 1892
Bennett, Robt. 10 acres near James Buggs. 1892

UNION PRECINCT.
Fouse, John 1 acre near Ben Garnett 1891-92
Casper, Jno. C., 115 acres near Jas Baker. 1892

HURRICANE.
Hammond, Wm. G., 74 acres near W. B. Station, 1891-92

J. N. CLARK.

Ex-Sheriff Crittenden County.

Commissioner's Notice.

J. W. Jacobs, Auditor, p. H. Cause in Equity

The undersigned, Master Commissioner, to whom the above entitled cause was referred by an Order of the Crittenden Circuit Court at its last March term, will hear proof of any claims against the estate of J. W. Jacobs, deceased, that may be presented to him at his office in the Town of Marion, between this day and the first day of June, 1893. He will also in said time hear any proof offered in regard to the assets belonging to said estate.

Therefore, all those having claims against said estate are hereby notified, that the said Commissioner will hear proof in the time aforesaid, in regard thereto, and those having such claims are hereby required to file them in the time aforesaid, that they may be reported. And unless so filed, they will be barred from collection.

Given under my hand, as Master Commissioner for Crittenden County, this 29th day of April, 1893.

J. H. WALKER, M. C.

Ex-Sheriff Crittenden County.

JESSE OLIVE,

CLARK & OLIVE,

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STILL

THEY COME

MORE GOODS, BETTER STYLES, LOWER PRICES.

We are still receiving New Dress Goods, New Clothing, lots of Shoes Slippers and all kinds of Novelties.

We Are Knocking Prices Out of Sight, Showing More and Better Styles than ever

Red Front.

Pierce, Yandell, Gugenheim Co.

LOCAL NEWS.

FOR THE LEGISLATURE

We are authorized to announce JOHN W. SKELTON as a candidate to represent Crittenden and Livingston counties in the next general assembly of Kentucky. He is subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce H. T. FLANARY as a candidate to represent Crittenden and Livingston counties in the next General Assembly of Kentucky, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce DR. J. N. TODD, a candidate to represent Crittenden and Livingston counties in the next General Assembly of Kentucky, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce MR. T. J. YEATS as a candidate to represent Crittenden and Livingston counties in the next General Assembly of Kentucky. He is subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR THE SENATE.

We are authorized to announce S. O. NUNN as a candidate for the State Senate in the district composed of the counties of Crittenden, Caldwell and Webster, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce P. C. STEPHENS as a candidate for the State Senate in the Fourth Senatorial District, composed of the counties of Caldwell, Crittenden and Webster, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

Removed one door below J. N. Wood's. Call and see us. Crider's Hardware Store.

Town lots for sale by R. C. Walker.

Lamp complete for 25c at Schwab's.

6 pounds of soda for 25c at Schwab's.

Country hams and lard at Schwab's.

Coal oil 10 cents per gallon at Schwab's.

Flour from \$2.75 per barrel up at Schwab's.

Granulated sugar 17 pounds for \$1, at Schwab's.

Country hams and lard wanted. Schwab.

Homestead and National Fertilizers for corn and tobacco at Pierce & Son.

Special bargains made on nails in keg lots at Schwab's.

Clairette and Pretty soap 6 bars for 25 cents at Schwab's.

Paints and oils in any quantity at Moore & Orme's drug store.

Those laces and veils at Mrs. F. W. Lovings are lovely.

Money saved by buying millinery goods at Mrs. Laura Skelton's.

See W. L. Clement's new millinery goods. All the latest styles.

Reduced prices made on caaned goods in case lots at Schwab's.

All kind of Harness and Gearing cheap at Pierce & Son.

German millet and stock peas, plenty on hand at Schwab's.

Green coffee 4 1/2 and 5 pounds to the dollar at Schwab's.

A new line of spring hats for ladies, misses and children at W. L. Clement's Tolu, Ky.

Ready mixed paint; formerly \$1.50 per gallon, can be found at Moore & Orme's drug store for \$1.15.

Removed, one door below J. N. Wood's. Call and see us. Crider's Hardware Store.

Two tons of Collier's best white lead, and the best oils on the market at Moore & Orme's drug store, Mariou.

Paint, paint, ready mixed chemical pure, one dollar and fifteen cents per gallon, can be found only at Moore & Orme, druggists.

Campbell Corn Drills, Dandy Disc Harrows, and a complete line of the best plows made at Pierce & Son.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

The Boys Speak.

Monday the candidates moved up a notch towards the convention. The town was full of people and they were given every opportunity to shake hands and talk politics. Crittenden people like to talk politics—the rough and tumble fights indulged in almost annually between the two parties for every plum that ripens, makes politics as natural with Crittenden people as is cousin with the ox driver, or praying in cyclone vicinities, hence a man that does not want to hear public speaking at Marion on county court day is looked upon as a heretic, and untrue to the traditions of his fathers.

Monday Mr. S. O. Nunn, who wants to go to the Senate, led off in an hour's speech. He said that he was a Democrat in the truest broadest sense of the work; that if he went down in defeat he would bow to the edict and proceed to help elect the successful man, but that if he was nominated, he would make the most thorough, and active canvass ever made in the district, and he would bring home to his party the toga now worn by another political party. He urged his audience to go to the precinct meetings and vote for men worthy and qualified; men that would be true to the people when in the Senate. He said he was for abolishing unnecessary officers, reducing salaries, opposed to extravagant appropriations of the people's money. In all legislation the people should be put on an equal footing with railroads, and corporations. Mr. Nunn then referred to the penitentiary question, saying that it should be met squarely and no shirking done. He said that when in the House he introduced a measure to make prison officers pay out of their own salary the substitutes, and if elected to the Senate he proposed to endeavor to pass the same bill. He said he opposed the appropriation of the \$12,500 for the New Orleans Exposition when a member of the House, and as a member of the Senate, he would oppose all such bills. After this the speaker discussed questions pertaining to matters between himself and his opponent.

Mr. Stephens spoke but a short time. He said that if he was nominated and elected, he would do the very best he could for his constituency. Some of the things advocated by his opponent had been his views for years. He had not been in office and could not therefore boast of what he had or had not done. At this point matters of a personal nature again came into the discussion, and a general cross fire followed for a few minutes. When Mr. Stephens had concluded Mr. T. J. Yeats announced his candidacy for the House, and the crowd left. Afterwards the court house bell called the people back, and Mr. F. M. Clement announced his candidacy for the House. This brought the other candidates up and a lively discussion followed.

Big crowd in town Monday. Do not forget your school trustees. Mrs. Carrie Thomas has been quiet sick.

Go to A. F. Griffith for your horse shoeing.

Monday was a field day for the candidates.

The farmers are woefully behind with their work.

There were 150 tickets sold for the excursion at this place yesterday.

B. F. McMeekin's headquarters for fruits of all kinds.

Mrs. Beard is very sick at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. A. Wilborn.

Mr. S. D. Hodge was elected Superintendent of the Methodist Sunday School Sunday.

Now if the court house was only painted—but don't mention it to the court of claims.

There will be a Masonic procession at Deer Creek church next Sunday, May 14th.

Marriage licenses have been issued to Samuel A. Martin and Miss Sarah Elizabeth Hughes.

If you have a building you desire moved, call on John Demaris; he is an expert at the business.

An effort is being made to get a post office established at Winstead's store, in this county. There was once an office there and it was known as View.

COUNTY COURT.

Wills Probated, Administrator's Appointed and Road Orders.

Upon motion of Mrs. Cora Dean, widow of C. C. Dean, she was granted letters of administration upon the personal estate of said decedent, and qualified with A. J. Hill as her surety. Upon motion of Robt H. Adams, it appeared to the satisfaction of the court that he is a minister of the gospel, he is authorized to solemnize the rites of matrimony. He took the oath required by law, with H. A. Haynes surety. The will of A. E. Clark was probated. The will of Mrs. A. Cardin was probated. The will of Thos. W. Simpson was probated.

The follow road overseers were appointed: J. P. Stephens, S. B. Hunt and W. T. Terry. On motion of W. G. Koon, it is ordered that S. C. Bennett, J. B. Koon and Geo. L. Boaz were appointed viewers to report upon proposed change in Caldwell Spring-Dyeshung road.

A. B. Rankin's motion to discontinue road was granted, and road discontinued.

No matter which of the applicants for the Marion post-office is successful there is not going to be such a row. Mark that you will. This talk about a big muddle is mostly bosh. A week after the new man is named, there will not be a murmur. People have their preference, but the losers will not wear mourning.

Wm. Taylor, colored, was brought out of jail Tuesday and tried upon a charge of selling liquor without license. When William was brought before the court, he owned up and was given the lowest fine, \$50, and sent back to jail to pay the fine at the rate of \$1 per day.

Rev. W. M. Rodgers, the street preacher, was on hands Monday and began a series of sermons at this place. His first sermon was on the street Monday afternoon, and a big crowd listened to his talk. Since then services have been held in the Opera House.

Mr. J. B. Bradley, who has been putting up tobacco at Shady Grove for Stegar & Dollar, was in town Saturday. The firm has purchased at that place this season about 400,000 lbs. and will not finish pricing before July.

I make shoes a specialty. Come and see. I have shoes for men, women and children. The best goods, the lowest prices. S. A. Frazier, Shady Grove.

Tuesdays daily papers said: The following were among the 137 postmasters of the fourth class appointed to-day: W. B. Lasher, Hampton, Livingston county, vice H. C. McCord removed.

Salt, \$1 per barrel.

Rice, 5 cents per pound.

Sugar, 22 pounds for \$1.

And everything else at rock bottom prices at Crider & Guess, Tolu, Ky.

Mr. Win. Paris is furnishing the town some beautiful stone curbing, and we hope in the near future the town will be blessed with some good side walks where they are badly needed.

"I am in it" with handsomest line of Spring Goods on the market. Ladies call and see the new styles of dress goods. I have a lovely line. S. A. Frazier, Shady Grove.

Improve your property this spring and make Marion one of the most beautiful towns in this part of the State. It can be done.

Monday was a busy day for J. M. Jean & Sons. They purchased 6,262 pounds of poultry, paying out \$496.91.

Removed one door below J. N. Wood's. Call and see us. Crider's Hardware Store.

Will the Board of Town Trustees levy a tax this year? Do it, gentlemen, and devote the proceeds to side walks.

Don't buy a buggy until you see our stock and get prices, we will guarantee to save you money. Pierce & Son.

Wills Probated.

A copy of the will of Thos. W. Simpson, whose death occurred very suddenly a few weeks ago, on Hurricane Island, this county, was presented to the county court for record Monday, the original having been probated in Evansville. The will was made in 1865, it is short, and bequeaths all of his property, both personal and real to his wife Jennie Simpson.

The will of A. E. Clark bequeaths all of his property, after the funeral expenses and just debts are paid to his son George Warren Clark. J. W. Blue, jr., is made executor of the will and designated as guardian for George.

The will of Mrs. A. H. Cardin bequeaths to Eugene Sutcliffe, her adopted son, two tracts of land, adjoining the homestead, her watch, a good horse, and money in hand, about \$50, her diamond pin and portrait of Mr. J. N. Sutcliffe.

To her sisters, Martha Moore, Fannie Crue and Juliet Dulin's children, she bequeaths all of her wearing apparel to be divided equally between them. To her friend Nonie Blum, she bequeathed her set of garnet jewelry and one rocking chair.

To her husband A. H. Cardin she willed and bequeathed all the remainder of her real estate to have and to hold during his natural life with remainder over to Eugene Sutcliffe, upon the express condition that he shall, at all times, treat and respect her husband, with kindness and courtesy and as a son should treat a father, and should he fail in these respects, then said real estate shall rest absolutely in the said A. H. Cardin. All of the personal estate not otherwise devised, is bequeathed to the husband, who is made executor of the will.

A number of Marionites attended the baptizing at Pinkneyville Sunday.

First class, home made apple vinegar for sale at 20 cents per gallon. B. F. McMeekin.

Ohio Valley Tie Co. has shipped about 375 carloads of railroad ties from Blackford since February.

The "Dandy" solid steel frame disc harrow is the best, and sold only by Pierce & Son.

Mr. L. H. James was elected to preside over the Lyon county Circuit Court by the members of the bar on account of the sickness of Judge Grace.

Every cash customer to the extent of \$1 will be given a bar of fine laundry soap at B. F. McMeekin's.

A large party of Marion people went to Evansville yesterday. An excursion always finds Marion with her Sunday clothes on ready for the fun.

Gentlemen—If you want clothing or hats, come in. I have them, and the goods as well as prices, will suit you, I think. S. A. Frazier, Shady Grove.

Messrs. F. E. Robertson & Co., are putting in a new boiler at their distillery at this place. Since February the still has been turning out two barrels of "Old Hickory" per day.

I handle nothing but first class groceries, and sell at nothing but the lowest prices. Come in. B. F. McMeekin.

Six More Dead.

Cairo, Ill., May 8.—Six more of the men scalded by the bursting of the flue of the steamer Ohio have died. The rest are resting easier and will probably recover.

Disc harrows, pulverizers, land rollers, cultivators plow, cheap at Crider & Guess, Tolu, Ky.

FLOWERS—Mrs. J. H. Walker has just received from Louisville florists a handsome lot of fine flowers, including roses, geraniums, etc., etc. They are offered for sale very cheap.

For the BEST BINDERS, MOWERS, HAY RAKES, MAY TENDERS and LAWN MOWERS, call on H. L. ELDER, one mile west of Marion, on Salem road, who handles the Whitey harvesting machines, the leaders in the field of all harvesting machines; keep repairs for same, and also for Champion machines. Call and see my samples. H. L. ELDER.

Jury Disagreed.

Judge J. A. Moore returned from Paris, Texas, reaching home Saturday. The case against his son, R. M. Moore, was tried, and the jury stood 11 to 1 for acquittal. The one juror who opposed acquittal was for imposing only a fine. The friends of young Mr. Moore will be gratified to learn that the charges against him are not so serious after all, and that in all probability another trial will set him free from all charges. Messrs W. I. Crue and A. C. Moore, Mariou attorneys who assisted in the defense, will return home this week.

Some of the Results. So far as could be ascertained there have already been 331 additions to the several churches in the city which united procuring the San Jones meeting. This embraces 58 to the First Christian; 67 to the First Baptist; 41 to the First Presbyterian; 25 to the Second Presbyterian; 6 to the Cumberland; 108 to the Broadway Methodist, and 26 to the Third street Methodist. This is considerably under the whole number indicated at the close of the San Jones meeting, but it should be remembered that probably one-third of that number belong in the country and are joining churches near them.—Paducah Standard.

Put in Jail.

Friday the city marshal of Kuttawa, W. H. McCollum, brought John Riley to this place and delivered him to the jailer. Last winter Riley shot and severely wounded Worth Shoey, at the latter's home in the Frances neighborhood. For a while it was thought that Shoey would die from the wound, but he ultimately recovered. Riley left the country and has been gone since that time, until Marshall McCollum nabbed him. The grand jury indicted Riley for malicious shooting; if he can execute a \$400 bond for his appearance at Circuit Court he will be released, otherwise he will remain in jail until court.

Caught in a Belt.

Monday Shelly Baker, a young man who lives two miles east of Marion, was the principal actor in an accident that came near costing him his life. He was at James & Lamb's saw mill; while standing near the big belt that passed around the huge fly-wheel, he slipped and fell across the belt, which was moving rapidly, and in the twinkling of an eye, the unfortunate boy was being whirled along at a break neck speed. Just before passing over the top of the wheel, a portion of his body struck against a post and he was stopped, the post holding and the belt pulling. The strain was terrible, and had it lasted a few moments longer, Shelly's life would have been pressed out; but at the critical moment his situation was discovered by the millers, and the steam was shut off. Shelly is badly bruised and strained but will recover.

A house and lot in Marion for sale. O. H. Paris.

Removed one door below J. N. Wood's. Call and see us. Crider's Hardware Store.

Gus Taylor is agent for Sperry's steam laundry and dye works; all work warranted.

Will pay cash for wool, do not want it tied up, must be loose. M. Schwab.

Removed one door below J. N. Wood's. Call and see us. Crider's Hardware Store.

Dr. O. S. Young, the dentist, guarantees satisfaction. Teeth extracted with pain. Office over Wilson & Woods drugstore.

The undersigned have formed a co-partnership in order to deal in general merchandise at Iron Hill, Ky. We aim to keep a good assortment of such goods as are usually kept in country store.

While wishing to sell for cash and produce generally, we will keep a small book for the accommodation of punctual customers. Style of firm, J. H. Dean & Co. J. H. DEAN, J. M. DEAN.

Removed one door below J. N. Wood's. Call and see us. Crider's Hardware Store.

Crider & Guess have just received 500 barrels of salt which they are selling for \$1 per barrel, at Tolu, Ky.

PERSONALS.

R. C. Walker went to Louisville yesterday.

H. K. Woods was in Mt. Vernon, Ind., this week.

O. M. James went to Louisville Wednesday.

Mrs. T. E. Hearin returned to Ed-dyville yesterday.

Mr. J. W. Turley, of Crider, was in town Monday.

W. H. B. Ward, of DeKoven, was in town Sunday.

Miss Mattie Heary is visiting in South Carrollton.

Dr. A. J. Donakey, of Levas, was in town yesterday.

Mr. Caleb Stone, of Lyon county, was in town yesterday.

Mr. Jerry Daugherty, of Ford's Ferry was in town yesterday.

Mr. Alex Elder, of Ridgway, Ill., is the guest of friends in this county.

Miss Lou Jewel, of Livingston, is the guest of Mr. J. R. McFintire's family.

Mr. H. A. Haynes' family will move to Crittenden Springs this week.

Mrs. Wood, of Livingston county, was the guest of J. A. Hurley's family this week.

Misses Alma Ford and Mattie Wigginton, of Paducah, are the guests of friends in Marion.

W. M. Freeman was on the streets Wednesday, having recovered from a severe spell of sickness.

Messrs. Willis Hargraves and Jos. Hill, of Onalua, Ill., are guests of Tom Hargraves, of this place.

Thos. Clifton, of Dyersburg, was in town Monday. He now traveling for a big shoe house in Chicago.

Misses Maude LaRue and Etta Carter, of Salem, were the guests of Miss Maude Taylor Monday.

Mr. W. H. Vellins, of Jackson, Tenn., is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Robt. Hodges, of this place.

Dr. W. J. Debow and Mr. Juo. T. Franks are attending the Republican State League at Louisville.

Mrs. R. Y. Thomas, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Rochester, near Marion, returned home yesterday.

Ed Young, of Tolu, was in town Saturday. He has closed out his business there and will attend the Normal school at this place.

Dr. I. H. Clement has moved from a farm in the Tolu neighborhood to the W. D. Williams farm in the Crittenden Springs neighborhood.

Mr. H. H. Loving was again called to Providence Sunday evening on account of the illness of his wife, who is visiting at that place. She is dangerously ill.

Mr. Henry Ledbetter and family returned from Parsons, Kans., this week. Mr. Ledbetter's business at Elizabethtown demanded his return for a season at least.

SCHOOL CENSUS.

Here They Are, Teachers, Pick Your Pies. The school census for this year has been completed in Crittenden county. For the benefit of the teachers who are on the lookout for the good things in life in the shape of the best school districts in Crittenden Co., we publish the number of pupils reported in each district, and the chairman of the district reporting.

No.	Pupils	Chairman
1	126	Geo. W. Jones
2	107	I. N. Brasher
3	75	B. B. Boswell
4	96	G. L. Whitt
5	88	J. W. Brasher
6	75	Jno. B. Perry
7	48	M. C. O'Hara
8	50	W. M. Garnett
9	62	O. T. Hodge
10	57	H. C. Love
11	41	T. M. LaRue
12	82	J. W. S. Damsen
13	86	Morry LaRue
14	74	J. T. Croft
15	81	A. S. N. Boyd
16	138	C. W. Stone
17	90	H. B. Phillips
18	73	J. S. McKearly
19	89	B. F. Walker
20	56	B. A. Enoch
21	102	M. T. Worley
22	78	G. N. Grayson
23	47	F. S. Gass
24	46	J. H. Hughes
25	337	A. J. Duval
26	60	P. A. Howerton
27	72	E. E. Thurman
28	43	J. W. Lamb
29	77	R. M. Adamson
30	41	H. L. Sullivan
31	79	P. H. O'Neil
32	60	B. H. Thurmond
33	67	J. L. Lamb
34	83	J. F. Pickens
35	62	S. A. Snow
36	88	R. W. Wood
37	46	W. I. McConnell
38	59	J. M. Walker
39	54	W. D. Brantly
40	56	J. H. Bugg
41	66	H. P. Jacobs
42	98	C. W. Andrews
43	69	L. H. Paris
44	64	J. M. Baker
45	83	Alx Woody
46	59	C. H. McConnell
47	65	Jacob Springs
48	101	J. N. Todd
49	50	E. R. White
50	60	Mose Walker
51	95	C. F. Webber
52	48	J. W. Paris
53	60	I. F. Fritts
54	63	Geo. W. Rice
55	48	J. C. Waddell
56	51	J. J. Sunderland
57	65	J. F. Canada
58	53	W. M. Balb
59	81	W. H. Ordway
60	85	G. W. Johnson

Total, 4,770.

Uncle Cy.

A few days since Uncle Cy' was on the streets of Marion; to be a little more explicit about Uncle Cy' we will say that he is one of the mighty few thrifty colored farmers of this county, and his other name is Hughes. Six or seven miles north of Marion is his farm, and it is a monument to his industry. Everything about the place is up in good shape, and bespeaks frugality and industry. The farm is worth probably \$2,500 and there is corn in the crib, tobacco in the barn, cows in the pasture, mules in the plow, wagons

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